A Revised Classification of the Major Divisions and Subdivisions of *Carabus* (s. lat.) (Coleoptera, Carabidae)

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Abstract Major divisions and subdivisions of the genus *Carabus* (s. lat.) are revised and a new classification is proposed with descriptions of three new subdivisions, i.e., Latitarsi nov., Arciferi nov. and Procrustimorphi nov. Japanese names of all the subdivisions and subgenera are given.

The most recent classification of the supraspecific categories belonging to the genus *Carabus* (s. lat.) is that proposed by Deuve (1994). His system is constructed on the basis of endophallic characters of the male genital organ, the fundamental idea of which has already been established by Ishikawa (1973, '78, '79). The French author divided the genus into five "subdivisions", namely, Spinulati, Digitulati (=genus *Carabus* sensu Ishikawa, 1973), Lipastromorphi (=genus *Lipaster* sensu Ishikawa, 1978), Archicarabomorphi (=genus *Ischnocarabus* sensu Ishikawa, 1979) and Lobifera (=Multistriati sensu Ishikawa, 1978). Through my recent study on the taxonomy and phylogeny of carabid beetles, I have been able to examine all the subgenera now adopted by most authors and nearly all the hitherto known species of the genus on a worldwide basis, and have come to the conclusion that Deuve's system still involves some basic problems as mentioned below, and that there still is room for improvement or modification, at least partly.

In the first place, the five "subdivisions" consisting of his system are not completely equivalent in their taxonomical value. Three of them, Digitulati, Lipastromorphi and Archicarabomorphi, are phylogenetically very close to one another, and should be treated as a well-defined unit, as was unified by Ishikawa (1978, '79) into a single division, Carabogenici. The Lobifera in Deuve's sense is a group to be placed at a little higher rank than these three "subdivisions". Secondly, I strongly hesitate to place the Spinulati at the beginning of a catalogue. Although most authors after Breuning have put this group at the first section of check lists merely according to its "custom usage", it is doubtless more closely allied to the Multistriati (sensu Ishikawa, 1978) or to the Lobifera, than to the Carabogenici, not only from the external and genitalic morphology but also from the larval characters and the molecular biological viewpoint based on analysis of mitochondrial DNA (cf. Su, 1995, pp. 18–19; Kashiwabara, 1995, pp.

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119–123). It should therefore be placed at the side of, or be regarded as a member of the Multistriati. Thirdly, the Lobifera in Deuve's sense contains too many subgenera that seem more or less randomly enumerated, and whose phylogenetic relationships are not clearly indicated. In my opinion, it should be separated into several subdivisions mainly on the basis of basic characters of the male genital organ.

In conclusion, I propose to divide the genus *Carabus* (s. lat.) at first into two large divisions, the Carabogenici and the Multistriati. The former contains three subdivisions, Digitulati, Lipastromorphi and Archicarabomorphi, each of which is almost equivalent to that proposed by Deuve, though somewhat different in the construction and sequence of the component subgenera. The latter is separated into five subdivisions: the first is the Spinulati which is downgraded to one of the subdivisions of the Multistriati; the second is a well-defined complex composed of *Hemicarabus* and *Homoeocarabus*, which has been termed the Crenolimbi by Reitter (1896, p. 55); the third is a complex defined by Ishikawa (1984) for a single genus, *Chaetocarabus*, and I call it Arciferi nov., after its characteristically developed ligulum, named "arculus" (see description of the subdivision in the following lines); the remaining large part is divided into two more subdivisions, Latitarsi nov. and Procrustimorphi nov., though the two groups seem to be very closely allied to each other.

In the first section of the present paper, I am going to give descriptions of three new subdivisions, then I will propose a new classification of my own in the latter half. For the convenience of further studies, above all those to be written in Japanese, I will give the Japanese names for all the subdivisions and subgenera, most of which are proposed for the first time in this paper. In other articles of mine now under preparation, I am going to give detailed descriptions of all the higher taxa and keys to them, as well as a discussion on the phylogenetic relationship among these higher taxa.

Before going further, I wish to express my deep gratitude to Dr. Shun-Ichi Uéno of the National Science Museum (Nat. Hist.), Tokyo, not only for kindly revising the manuscript but also for giving valuable suggestions to my study.

Description of New Subdivisions

Subdivision Latitarsi nov.

Head almost normal in appearance, with the mandibles neither remarkably elongated nor modified; retinaculum of right mandible narrow, with the anterior tooth subequal in length to the posterior; penultimate segment of labial palpus basically bisetose; median tooth of mentum not remarkably modified, and submentum basically setaceous; male antennae basically with thiridium on the ventral surface; elytral sculpture variable from triploide to heptaploide, or sometimes indicated by multiply divided rows of granules; basal four segments of male foretarsus dilated, and basically with hair pads on the ventral surface (the fourth segment usually not remarkably smaller in size than the basal three); male genital organ with ostium lobe basically bilobate, though rarely vestigial; ligulum usually indicated by an assemblage of pigmented gran-

ules, though rarely developed to a plate-like sclerite; larva with quadricuspidate epistoma.

Containing 17 subgenera distributed in Eurasia, North Africa and North America.

Subdivision Arciferi nov.

Genus Chaetocarabus: Ishikawa, 1984, Kontyû, Tokyo, 52, pp. 94–109.

Mandible long and slender, usually roundly arcuate inwards though rarely deformed in the outline, with the inner margin of left one exceptionally double-edged in the subgenus *Platycarabus*; retinaculum of right mandible remarkably bifurcate, with the anterior tooth subequal in length to, or a little shorter than the posterior; median tooth of mentum not remarkably modified, and submentum setaceous; male antennae without thiridium on the ventral surface; elytral sculpture basically triploide; the fourth segment of male foretarsus narrower than the basal three, and sometimes lacking hair pads on the ventral surface; ostium lobe basically unilobate, though variable in shape according to the species, from almost bilobate condition to vestigial; ligulum situated at the right side near the base of endophallus, strongly developed, with the apex free from the membraneous wall and sharply pointed, and the outer margin rather sharply ridged to form a crescent-shaped sclerite (I call it "arculus", a term newly proposed in this paper); endophallus sometimes with median lobe (=basal lobe sensu Ishikawa, 1984), and aggonoporius variable both in shape and degree of sclerotization according to the species; larva with quadricuspidate or rostrilabral epistoma.

Containing 4 subgenera distributed in Europe and Asia Minor.

Subdivision Procrustimorphi nov.

Head often showing a tendency of hypertrophy or cychrization, with mandibles relatively elongate and gently arcuate inwards in most species; retinaculum of right mandible often modified, with the anterior tooth not equal in length to the posterior; median tooth of mentum usually well-developed and often protruding ventrad; thiridium never recognised on the ventral surface of male antennae; elytra basically triploide, and often showing a striking development in the sculptural condition; fourth segment of male foretarsus basically smaller than the basal three, and often lacking hair pads on the ventral surface; ostium lobe usually unilobate, though sometimes bifurcate at the tip, and very rarely bilobate or even vestigial; ligulum constantly indicated by an assemblage of pigmented granules; pre- or parapraeputial pads often well-developed; praeputial pad and aggonoporius often modified both in shape and degree of sclerotization; larva with rostrilabral epistoma.

Containing 53 subgenera distributed in Eurasia, North Africa and North America.

Classification

Genus Carabus LINNÉ、1758 オサムシ属

- I. Division Carabogenici 真正オサムシ群
 - I-1. Subdivision Digitulati DEUVE, 1991 骨片オサムシ亜群
 - I-1-(1) Subgenus Carabus LINNÉ, 1758 アカガネオサムシ亜属
 - I-1-(2) Subgenus Eucarabus GÉHIN, 1885 ツヤオサムシ亜属
 - I-1-(3) Subgenus Isiocarabus REITTER, 1896 タイリクオオオサムシ亜属
 - I-1-(4) Subgenus Ohomopterus REITTER, 1896 オオオサムシ亜属
 - I-2. Subdivision Lipastromorphi Deuve, 1991 カザリオサムシ亜群
 - I-2-(1) Subgenus Morphocarabus GÉHIN, 1885 カザリオサムシ亜属
 - I-2-(2) Subgenus Mimocarabus GéHIN, 1885 カタビロカザリオサムシ 亜属
 - I-2-(3) Subgenus Cryptocarabus REITTER, 1896 ツブカザリオサムシ亜属
 - I-2-(4) Subgenus Ophiocarabus REITTER, 1896 ドウガネカザリオサムシ 亜属
 - I-2-(5) Subgenus *Lipaster* MOTSCHULSKY, 1865 オオズカザリオサムシ 亜属
 - I–2–(6) Subgenus Cyclocarabus REITTER, 1896 ツヤヒョウタンオサムシ 亜属
 - I-3. Subdivision Archicarabomorphi Deuve, 1991 マルオサムシ亜群
 - I-3-(1) Subgenus Archicarabus SEIDLITZ, 1887 マルオサムシ亜属
 - I-3-(2) Subgenus Acrocarabus LAPOUGE, 1930 キンマルオサムシ亜属
 - I-3-(3) Subgenus Ischnocarabus KRAATZ, 1877 ツツオサムシ亜属
 - I-3-(4) Subgenus Gnathocarabus DEUVE, 1991 キバヒョウタンオサムシ 亜属
- II. Division Multistriati 多条オサムシ群
 - II-1. Subdivision Spinulati ISHIKAWA, 1973 トゲオサムシ亜群
 - II-1-(1) Subgenus Apotomopterus HOPE, 1838 トゲオサムシ亜属
 - II-1-(2) Subgenus *Taiwanocarabus* IMURA et M. SATÔ, 1989 マスゾウトゲオサムシ亜属
 - II-1-(3) Subgenus Limnocarabus GÉHIN, 1876 マークオサムシ亜属
 - II-1-(4) Subgenus Euleptocarabus NAKANE, 1956 アキタクロナガオサムシ亜属
 - II-2. Subdivision Crenolimbi REITTER, 1896 セアカオサムシ亜群
 - II-2-(1) Subgenus Hemicarabus GÉHIN, 1885 セアカオサムシ亜属
 - II-2-(2) Subgenus Homoeocarabus Géhin, 1885 セスジアカガネオサムシ亜属
 - II-3. Subdivision Latitarsi IMURA, nov. ダルマオサムシ亜群
 - II-3-(1) Subgenus Tomocarabus REITTER, 1896 ヒメダルマオサムシ亜属
 - II-3-(2) Subgenus Stephanocarabus IMURA, 1995 カンスーダルマオサムシ亜属

- II-3-(3) Subgenus Scambocarabus REITTER, 1896 マルダルマオサムシ 亜属
- II-3-(4) Subgenus Semnocarabus REITTER, 1896 テンシャンダルマオサムシ亜属
- II-3-(5) Subgenus *Ulocarabus* REITTER, 1896 タジクダルマオサムシ亜属
- II-3-(6) Subgenus Pachystus MOTSCHULSKY, 1865 ダルマオサムシ亜属
- II-3-(7) Subgenus Eurycarabus Géhin, 1876 ハバビロオサムシ亜属
- II-3-(8) Subgenus Nesaeocarabus BEDEL, 1895 カナリアオサムシ亜属¹⁾
- II-3-(9) Subgenus Rhipocarabus REITTER, 1896 シワマルオサムシ亜属
- II-3-(10) Subgenus Autocarabus SEIDLITZ, 1887 キンイロオサムシ亜属
- II-3-(11) Subgenus Mesocarabus THOMSON, 1875 ヒサゴオサムシ亜属
- II-3-(12) Subgenus *Tanaocarabus* REITTER, 1896 ホクベイミヤマオサムシ亜属
- II-3-(13) Subgenus Pachycarabus GÉHIN, 1876 ニブイロオサムシ亜属
- II-3-(14) Subgenus Oreocarabus GÉHIN, 1876 ミヤマオサムシ亜属
- II-3-(15) Subgenus Rhigocarabus Reitter, 1896 ドウガネオサムシ亜属
- II-3-(16) Subgenus Leptocarabus Géhin, 1885 クロナガオサムシ亜属
- II-3-(17) Subgenus *Meganebrius* KRAATZ, 1895 マルクビオサムシ亜属 II-4. Subdivision Arciferi IMURA, nov. ヒラタオサムシ亜群
 - II-4-(1) Subgenus Platycarabus Morawitz, 1886 ヒラタオサムシ亜属
 - II-4-(2) Subgenus *Chaetocarabus* THOMSON, 1875 キバナガヒラタオサムシ亜属
 - II-4-(3) Subgenus Heterocarabus MORAWITZ, 1886 ヒメツヤヒラタオサムシ亜属
- II-4-(4) Subgenus *Hygrocarabus* THOMSON, 1875 ミズベオサムシ亜属 II-5. Subdivision Procrustimorphi IMURA, nov. ヨロイオサムシ亜群
 - II-5-(1) Subgenus Eotribax Semenov, 1898 テンシャンチビオサムシ亜属
 - II-5-(2) Subgenus Alipaster Reitter, 1896 アラメチビオサムシ亜属
 - II-5-(3) Subgenus *Cechenotribax* SEMENOV-TIAN-SHANSKIJ et ZNOJKO, 1932 ケシオオズオサムシ亜属
 - II-5-(4) Subgenus Cratocarabus REITTER, 1896 ツブオオズオサムシ亜属
 - II-5-(5) Subgenus Cratocephalus KIRSCH, 1859 アラメオオズオサムシ 亜属
 - II-5-(6) Subgenus Cratocechenus Reitter, 1896 コブスジオオズオサムシ亜属
 - II-5-(7) Subgenus Leptoplesius REITTER, 1898 ホソムネオオズオサムシ 亜属

¹⁾ A well sclerotized process on the ventral wall of the endophallus of this subgenus is not considered to be homologous with the digitulus, as has been pointed out by ISHIKAWA (1991, p. 225). It is therefore classified into the Multistriati, together with the subgenus *Eurycarabus*, both of which were placed by Deuve in the Digitulati.

- II-5-(8) Subgenus Cratophyrtus REITTER, 1896 キバオオズオサムシ亜属
- II-5-(9) Subgenus Pantophyrtus THIEME, 1881 ホオトゲオオズオサムシ 亜属
- II-5-(10) Subgenus *Cechenochilus* Motschulsky, 1846 カフカスオオズ オサムシ亜属
- II-5-(11) Subgenus Iniopachys SOLIER, 1848 イベリアオオズオサムシ亜属
- II-5-(12) Subgenus Tribax FISCHER, 1817 アトキリオサムシ亜属
- II-5-(13) Subgenus Neoplectes REITTER, 1885 オオズアトキリオサムシ 亜属
- II-5-(14) Subgenus Microplectes REITTER, 1896 チビアトキリオサムシ 亜属
- II-5-(15) Subgenus Archiplectes Gottwald, 1982 ニジアトキリオサムシ 亜属
- II-5-(16) Subgenus Sphodristocarabus Géhin, 1885 コブスジオサムシ亜属
- II-5-(17) Subgenus Ctenocarabus THOMSON, 1875 スジバネオサムシ亜属
- II-5-(18) Subgenus Cathoplius THOMSON, 1875 クチボソオサムシ亜属
- II-5-(19) Subgenus Oxycarabus SEMENOV, 1898 サメハダオサムシ亜属
- II-5-(20) Subgenus Imaibius BATES, 1889 オニオサムシ亜属
- II-5-(21) Subgenus Imaibiodes DEUVE, 1990 ニセオニオサムシ亜属
- II-5-(22) Subgenus Deroplectes Reitter, 1895 パミールオサムシ亜属
- II-5-(23) Subgenus Apoplesius DEUVE, 1990 アトキリモドキ亜属
- II-5-(24) Subgenus Relictocarabus LEDOUX, 1984 アフリカアトキリモドキ亜属
- II-5-(25) Subgenus Goniocarabus Géhin, 1885 キバナガオサムシ亜属
- II-5-(26) Subgenus Axinocarabus Morawitz, 1886 ツヤキバナガオサムシ亜属
- II-5-(27) Subgenus Acathaicus REITTER, 1896 マンボウオサムシ亜属
- II-5-(28) Subgenus Cathaicus BATES, 1870 コウガオサムシ亜属
- II-5-(29) Subgenus *Eupachys* CHAUDOIR, 1857 クギヌキオオズオサムシ 亜属
- II-5-(30) Subgenus Cychrostomus Reitter, 1896 ホソキバオサムシ亜属
- II-5-(31) Subgenus *Teratocarabus* SEMENOV-TIAN-SHANSKIJ et ZNOJKO, 1932 ムラサキホソキバオサムシ亜属
- II-5-(32) Subgenus Cephalornis SEMENOV, 1889 セダカモドキ亜属
- II-5-(33) Subgenus Eocechenus SEMENOV-TIAN-SHANSKIJ et ZNOJKO, 1932 タカネオオズオサムシ亜属
- II-5-(34) Subgenus Cryptocechenus SEMENOV, 1898 アカアシオオズオサムシ亜属
- II-5-(35) Subgenus Calocarabus Semenov, 1887 キンスジオオズオサムシ亜属
- II-5-(36) Subgenus Neoplesius REITTER, 1896 チベットオサムシ亜属
- II-5-(37) Subgenus Pseudocranion Reitter, 1896 ニセキンオサムシ亜属

- II-5-(38) Subgenus Shunichiocarabus IMURA, 1995 コブキバオサムシ亜属
- II-5-(39) Subgenus *Pseudocoptolabrus* REITTER, 1896 ヌバタマキンオサムシ亜属
- II-5-(40) Subgenus Pagocarabus Morawitz, 1886 マンダラオサムシ亜属²⁾
- II-5-(41) Subgenus Megodontoides DEUVE, 1991 オオズマンダラオサムシ亜属
- II-5-(42) Subgenus Aristocarabus Semenov, 1896 ニシキオサムシ亜属
- II-5-(43) Subgenus Eccoptolabrus SEMENOV, 1898 ヒメカブリモドキ亜属
- II-5-(44) Subgenus Lasiocoptolabrus IMURA, 1993 アラメカブリモドキ 亜属
- II-5-(45) Subgenus Coptolabrus Solier, 1848 カブリモドキ亜属
- II-5-(46) Subgenus Damaster KOLLAR, 1836 マイマイカブリ亜属
- II-5-(47) Subgenus Acoptolabrus MORAWITZ, 1886 クビナガオサムシ亜属
- II-5-(48) Subgenus Megodontus Solier, 1848 キンオサムシ亜属
- II-5-(49) Subgenus Procerus DEJEAN, 1826 イボハダオサムシ亜属
- II-5-(50) Subgenus Macrothorax DESMAREST, 1850 ムナビロオサムシ亜属
- II-5-(51) Subgenus Chrysocarabus THOMSON, 1875 コガネオサムシ亜属
- II-5-(52) Subgenus *Procrustes* BONELLI, 1809 ヨロイオサムシ亜属
- II-5-(53) Subgenus Lamprostus Motschulsky, 1865 トックリオサムシ 亜属

要 約

井村有希:オサムシ属の上位分類体系に関する再検討. — Deuve (1994)により提唱された 広義のオサムシ属の上位分類体系における問題点を指摘したうえで, 筆者独自の見解に基づき, その再編成を試みた. その結果, オサムシ属をまず真正オサムシと多条オサムシの2群に分け, 前者に3 亜群, 後者に5 亜群 (うち, みっつの亜群をあらたに記載)を認める新しい分類体系を提唱した. 本論文ではさらに, 今後, 和文によって記される類書への一助として, 世界のオサムシ属に含まれるすべての亜群と亜属に対し和名を与えた.

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²⁾ The subgenus *Pagocarabus* in the present sense contains only a few species allied to the type species (*Carabus crassesculptus*), i.e., *C. promachus*, *C. poschingerianus*, etc., and the other members that have been traditionally placed in the same subgenus are transferred to *Neoplesius* which is considered distinct as a subgenus.

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A New Record of *Aceraius alutaceosternus* (Coleoptera, Passalidae) from Sumatra

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Aceraius alutaceosternus was described by Kuwert (1898) from the Malay Peninsula. Later, Gravely (1918) recorded it from the Malay Peninsula and Borneo.

Recently, we had an opportunity to examine a long series of *Aceraius* specimens from Sumatra and found two specimens of *A. alutaceosternus* among them. This is the first record of *A. alutaceosternus* from Sumatra.

Specimens examined. Aceraius alutaceosternus Kuwert: 1♀, Harau Valley, Paya Kumbuh, Sumatra, Morlis Elis leg.; 1♂, Sibolangit 800 m in altitude, Sumatra, II–1995, Kazuhisa Fujita leg.

Distribution. Malay Peninsula, Sumatra (new record), Borneo.

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